

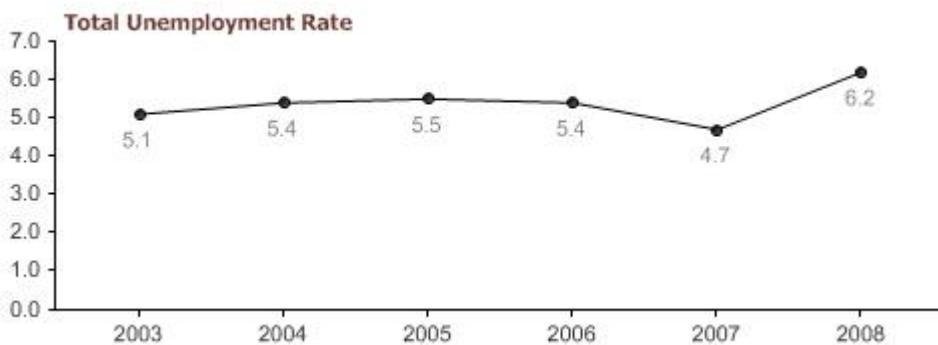
Union County, IN Highlights

Labor Force

An area's labor force provides insight on the availability factor and is residence-based - that is, the people are working or seeking work and reside in the particular county or region.

Annual Labor Force Estimates in 2008

	Number	Pct. Chg. from 2000
Labor Force	3,600	-5.6%
Employed	3,376	-8.7%
Unemployed	224	96.5%
Rate	6.2	106.7%



Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics

Labor Force Estimates

	Labor Force	Emp.	Unemp.	Area Rate	State Rate
1998	3,977	3,847	130	3.3	2.9
1999	3,963	3,847	116	2.9	2.9
2000	3,813	3,699	114	3.0	2.9
2001	3,777	3,611	166	4.4	4.2
2002	3,710	3,516	194	5.2	5.2
2003	3,754	3,562	192	5.1	5.3
2004	3,759	3,555	204	5.4	5.3
2005	3,867	3,655	212	5.5	5.4
2006	3,902	3,690	212	5.4	5.0
2007	3,634	3,464	170	4.7	4.6
2008	3,600	3,376	224	6.2	5.9

